

Call for Trainers

Youth For Understanding and **Young European Federalists Europe (JEF Europe)** are looking for **4 (four) trainers** to facilitate a 7-day Training For Trainers and Mentors, in the framework of the <u>"Road to the Future"</u> project, to be held in Werbellinsee, Germany (close to Berlin). The group will include a total of **39 young leaders** from 14 different countries across Europe.

ABOUT THE PROJECT

Building on a strong coalition of youth-led and volunteer-led civil society organisations and a network of political stakeholders and regional authorities, **the project "Road to the Future" is designed to encourage and strengthen European-oriented youth participation for a specific democratic milestone, the European Parliament Elections 2019** and in the longer term for the future of Europe. The project is a joint partnership among 13 partner organizations and networks, from all across Europe.

The initiative is built in two phases: the lead-up to the European Parliament elections 2019 and their follow-up. The main aims are to:

- Encourage debate among young Europeans about the European Elections 2019 and increase young voters' turnout.
- Develop strategies and organize advocacy actions for the implementation of the New Narrative for Europe using the ideas collected during the phase leading to the EP elections, both at the local and European level with parliamentarians and newly elected MEPs.

ABOUT THE TRAINING COURSE

The training for trainers and mentors will happen **22-29 June 2019** and will involve **39 participants** (youth activists, youth workers, youth leaders) who will be **trained to be able to organise local advocacy campaigns and events, promoting the "New Narrative for Europe" and local trainings for European oriented youth.** It will be based on the tools previously created and will focus notably on the online dimension to ensure a strong uptake of the online platform at this stage.

The participants will come from the different partner organisations and their local members and will be selected according to gender balance, country balance, and their motivation and capacity to organise further local training and activities event.

The event will be organised in parallel to the high visibility large scale event **(YES 2019)** to ensure a maximum impact both on the youth workers and on the participants of the large scale event.

TASKS AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE TRAINERS:

- To develop and prepare the overall program and working methodology;
- To cooperate with the partner trainers and have regular communication with them;
- To have regular online meetings with the coordinator of the project;
- Prepare session outlines for each of the workshop sessions 15 days before the training at the latest;
- \cdot To have daily evaluations with the project coordinator and the trainer's team during the training;
- To closely follow the development of the participants' local initiatives, and provide them with advice and support;
- To prepare a final report; this needs to be submitted to the project coordinator 2 weeks after the training at the latest;
- Facilitate training sessions and provide suitable learning environment for all participants;
- To have an evaluation with the project coordinator after finishing of workshops.

REQUIREMENTS:

- Ability to develop an educational approach based on the principles and values of non-formal
 education;
- Ability to transfer knowledge and values related to the activity to the group of learners;
- Have knowledge and experience on topics covered by the training;
- Ability to collaborate and work in a multicultural team;
- Ability to respect deadlines;
- Ability to clearly express thoughts, feelings and emotions;
- Sensitivity to diversity;
- Ability to deal constructively with disagreements;
- Ability to create an inspiring and safe learning environment;
- Ability to stimulate active participation by motivating and empowering learners;

FINANCES

The travel to and from the training (Werbellinsee, Germany) is covered by the organizers.

The applicant is invited to propose a honorarium while taking into consideration all **payable taxes.** The fee will be transfered to the trainer's bank accounts after providing a final report to the project coordinator.

Further details will be established once the team has been chosen. The trainers are responsible for securing their own health insurance.

DEADLINE

13th May 2019

HOW TO APPLY:

If interested, please send your **CV and Motivation Letter** to Andreea at andreea@yfu.world. Please include **"Training Course for Trainers and Mentors - Road to the Future" in the Subject** title.





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